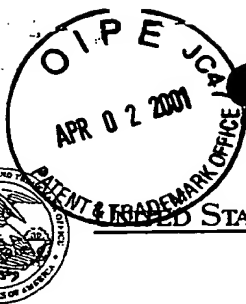


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- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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Serial No. US 09/745,028

Filed 20 December 2000

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Group Art Unit: 2173

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Robin G. Reeves

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LETTER

We received two Notices to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application on the above-cited patent application, one mailed on February 28, 2001 and the second mailed March 19, 2001, stating that the oath or declaration was missing. We responded to the first one with our enclosed letter of March 8, 2001. The return postcard showing that the U.S. Patent Office received the declaration and assignment is also enclosed.

The Customer Service Center said that our payment of \$130 was posted on March 14, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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Andrew J. Cowell

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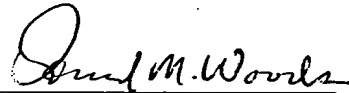
In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application-Filing Date
Granted and pursuant to Rule 53, enclosed herewith is the Declaration and
Assignment of the above-identified application. A copy of the notice dated February
28, 2001 is attached to this response, as requested.

Please charge to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225
\$130 in accordance with CFR 1.16(e) and any other necessary fees in connection with
the above-referenced application.

Also enclosed for recording and return thereafter is an assignment to Eastman Kodak Company, Rochester, New York of the above application, executed by inventors Prasad V. Prabhu and Andrew J. Cowell.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the assignment recording fee and any additional fees under §1.21(h) which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225. This sheet is filed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "David M. Woods", written over a horizontal line.

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